

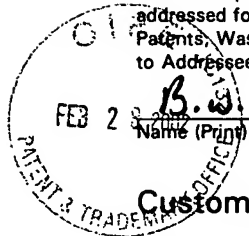
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Docket No.: 0632/0B368-US1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Paul A. BROWN; Craig O. NORVELL; Leroy A. JORGENSEN

Serial No.: 10/002,950

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COMPLETION OF PATENT APPLICATION

The following items are submitted herewith in completion of the above-identified patent application:

1. A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application.
2. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts

### REMARKS

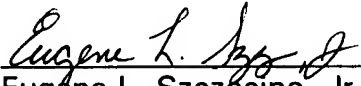
A Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application mailed on February 14, 2002, states that the Assignee's Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is missing. This finding is respectfully traversed. Applicants note that a Consent of Assignee was submitted with the original filing of the Reissue application. As evidence of such filing attached hereto is a copy of the stamped postcard from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office which acknowledges receipt, *inter alia*, of the Consent of Assignee. In addition, attached hereto is a copy of the Consent of Assignee as filed with the original Reissue application on October 31, 2001. This Consent of Assignee included documentary evidence of a change of title from the original owner to the Assignee (i.e., by referring to the reel and frame number of recordation of the Assignment from the inventors to American Home Products Corporation). Applicants also note that this Consent of Assignee was signed by a party authorized to act on behalf of the Assignee. These are the requirements of 37 CFR 3.73(b).

Accordingly, Applicants maintain that the Consent of Assignee in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b) has been submitted. Accordingly, Applicants maintain that the Reissue application is complete, and an early indication of such is respectfully requested.

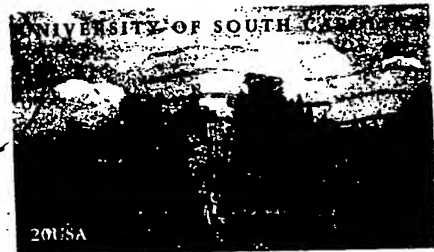
No fee is believed due because the originally filed application was complete. However, the Patent Office is authorized to charge any deficiency up to \$300.00 in the above fees, and to credit any excess, to our Deposit Account No. 4-0100.

Respectfully submitted,

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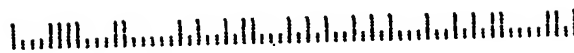
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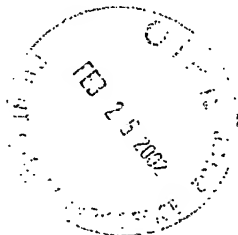
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**
- Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue application establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).

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Reissue of: U.S. Patent No. 5,704,648

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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48

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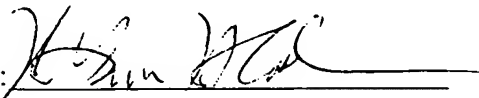
Sir:

American Home Products Corporation, the assignee of U.S. Patent No. 5,704,648, by an assignment recorded with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 2, 1996, at Reel 8285, Frames 0893-0898, consents to the filing of the present Reissue Application for the Reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,704,648.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all

statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that the statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

DATED: October 16, 2001

Signature: 

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